



# Littlemoor Academy Newsletter

July 2025

I first announced my retirement plans in March and now, all of a sudden, today is my last day as Headteacher of Askern Littlemoor Infant Academy. I started teaching at this very special school in January 1998, becoming the Deputy Head Teacher in 1999 and teaching in Year 2 until I became the Head Teacher in 2012. I have worked with so many children and families in that time and have loved every minute. I have so many happy memories to take into retirement and I know that Littlemoor will go from strength to strength in the future.

Our dedicated team works tirelessly every day to ensure that our special children are safe, happy and thriving in their learning. They are looking forward to recharging over the summer with their friends and families, ready to return in September for another exciting year at this wonderful school.

Have a lovely summer and thank you for everything.

**Kind regards,  
Carol Ann Turner - Head Teacher**



## KEY DATES

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July:** School closes for the summer holidays.

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September:** School reopens.

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> September:** Skip2Bfit Workshop

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September:** Macmillan Coffee Morning

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October:** Individual & Family Photos

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October:** School closes for the Autumn Half-Term holiday

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November:** School reopens.

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November:** Flu vaccinations

Please refer to the calendar on our school website for details of more events.



## #TEAMLITTLEMOOR

One of our longest serving teaching assistants, Beth Wigglesworth, is retiring and is looking forward to spending time travelling and more time with her family. We wish her health and happiness as she enters this new phase of her life.



We are thrilled that Mr Rhys Elder is joining our teaching team in September. Rhys is a former Littlemoor pupil which makes his appointment even more special.

Good luck to them both.



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## Y2 TRIP TO CANNON HALL

At the beginning of July, our Year 2 children spent the day at Cannon Hall Museum as Victorian servants. They learnt so much about life in the past and loved working in the kitchen to make their own lunch. The apple crumble went down a treat!



We will really miss our Year 2 children and wish them well as they leave us to go to junior school. They have been a wonderful cohort, and we are so proud of the progress they have made.

We can't wait to hear about their achievements in the coming years.

## ASPIRE

In recent years, we have established very strong links with the Askarne Day Centre. Our Year 2 children work with the clients on a regular basis and have formed very positive relationships with them. It has been such a powerful initiative to promote respect between the generations. It is our Trust's aim that we are creating truly great students who show kindness and compassion, and this inter-generational project is an excellent example of this. We are proud that the Doncaster mayor has always supported our venture and we all loved meeting her last week at Alexander House where we all enjoyed a special party.



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